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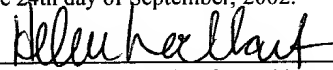
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Applicant(s): Karen Newell  
Serial No: 09/277,575  
Filed: March 27, 1999  
For: METHODS AND PRODUCTS RELATED TO METABOLIC INTERACTIONS  
IN DISEASE  
Examiner: Amy M. DeCloux  
Art Unit: 1644

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- [X] Response to Restriction Requirement;
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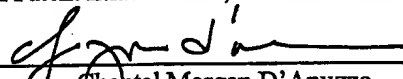
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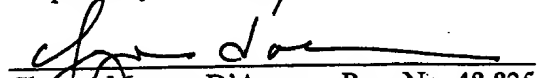
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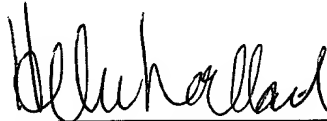
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2) Please change the Atty Docket No. listed as "V0139/7028" to the correct Atty Docket No. **V00139/70028**.

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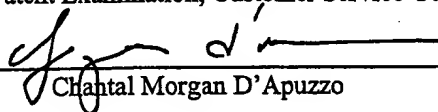
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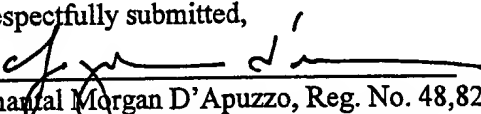
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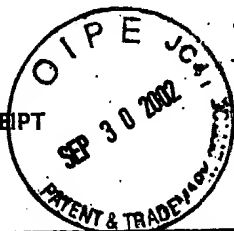
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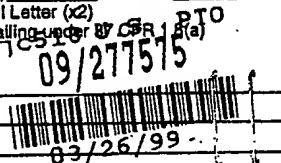
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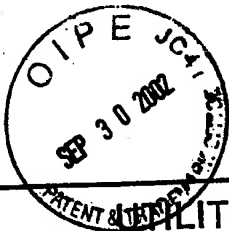
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Attorney Docket No.

V0139/7028

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

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TO:

1. ☐ Fee Transmittal Form

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2. ☒ Specification [Total pages 117]

98 pages description

1 page abstract

18 pages claims (#1-42)

3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113)

☒ Informal ☐ Formal 27 drawings, Fig. 1-25

4. ☐ Oath or Declaration [Total pages ]

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[Note Box 5 below]

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Signed statement attached deleting  
inventor(s) named in the prior application, see  
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5. ☐ Incorporation by Reference

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6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

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12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment

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14. ☐ Small Entity ☐ Statement filed in prior  
Statement(s) application, Status still proper  
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15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
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16. Other: This application claims priority under 35 USC §119(e) from US Provisional Application Serial No. 60/082,250 filed April 17, 1998, US Provisional Application Serial No. 60/101,580 filed September 24, 1998 and US Provisional Application Serial No. 60/094,519 filed July 24, 1998.

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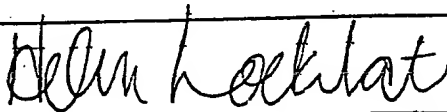
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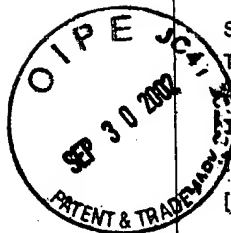
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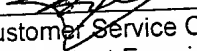
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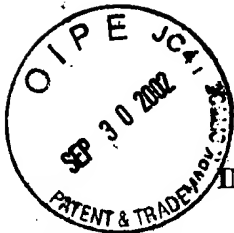
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